

In re original Application of:

Applicants : Frank Check, LeRoy Dickson, John Groot, and Timothy Good
Title of Invention : BIOPTICAL HOLOGRAPHIC LASER SCANNING
SYSTEM
Attorney Docket No. : 108-083USA000

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER ACCOMPANYING
THE FILING OF AN ORIGINAL APPLICATION**

Sir:

This is a request for filing an original application entitled "BIOPTICAL HOLOGRAPHIC LASER SCANNING SYSTEM" by Frank Check et al., and comprising:

- One Hundred Three (103) pages of Specification;
- Eighteen (18) pages of Claims to Invention;
- One (1) pages of Abstract of Disclosure;
- Three Hundred Thirty Five (335) sheets of Informal Drawings; and
- Certificate of Express Mailing (No. EL725352705US) under C.F.R. 1.10 dated

April 18, 2001.

Under U.S.C. 120, Applicants hereby claim priority to the following Applications: copending Application Serial No. 09/551,887 filed on April 18, 2000; 08/949,915 filed October 14, 1997; copending Application Serial No. 08/726,522 filed October 7, 1996; which is a Continuation of Application Serial No. 08/573,949 filed December 18, 1995, now abandoned; which is a Continuation-in-Part of Application Serial Nos. 08/615,054 filed March 12, 1996; 08/476,069 filed June 7, 1995, now U.S. Letters Patent 5,591,953; 08/561,479 filed November 20, 1995, now U.S. Letters Patent No. 5,661,292; which is a Continuation of 08/293,695 filed August 19, 1994, now U.S. Letters Patent 5,468,951; 08/293,493 filed August 19, 1994, now U.S. Letters Patent 5,525,789; 08/475,376 filed June 7, 1995, now U.S. Letters Patent 5,637,852; 08/439,224 filed May 11, 1995, now U.S. Letters Patent 5,627,359; and 08/292,237 filed August 17, 1994, each commonly owned by Assignee, Metrologic Instruments, Inc., of Blackwood, New Jersey, and is incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Power of attorney has been appointed to Thomas J. Perkowski, Reg. No. 33,134, and Jay P. Sbröllini, Esq., Reg. 36,266, of Soundview Plaza, 1266 East Main Street, Stamford, Connecticut 06902, and will be filed in the present Application shortly.

The present Application has been assigned to Metrologic Instruments, Inc. and the Assignment will be filed in the present Application shortly.